

## General Assembly

Raised Bill No. 5288

February Session, 2000

LCO No. 981

Referred to Committee on Public Health

Introduced by: (PH)

## An Act Concerning Funding For The Chronic Fatigue Syndrome Outreach Programs And Establishing A Meningitis Vaccination Education Program.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 Section 1. (NEW) The Commissioner of Public Health shall, within
- 2 available appropriations, implement a meningitis vaccination
- 3 education program. The program shall include furnishing public and
- 4 private colleges and universities in this state with information and
- 5 materials for distribution to incoming students concerning the
- 6 advisability of being vaccinated against meningitis.
- 7 Sec. 2. The sum of two hundred thousand dollars is appropriated to
- 8 the Department of Public Health, from the General Fund, for the fiscal
- 9 year ending June 30, 2001, for the state-wide informational outreach
- 10 programs on chronic fatigue and immune dysfunction syndrome
- 11 established pursuant to section 19a-6a of the general statutes.
- 12 Sec. 3. This act shall take effect July 1, 2000.

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PH Committee Vote: Yea 25 Nay 0 JF C/R APP

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